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HOUSE BILL 1041

**48TH LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 2007**

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AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLIC EDUCATION; PROVIDING ADDITIONAL  
CIRCUMSTANCES WHEN A PARENT OR GUARDIAN MAY BE REIMBURSED FOR  
TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM SCHOOL.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

Section 1. Section 22-16-6 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1967,  
Chapter 16, Section 224, as amended) is amended to read:

"22-16-6. REIMBURSEMENT OF PARENTS OR GUARDIANS.--A local  
school board may, subject to regulations adopted by the [~~state~~  
~~board~~] department, provide per capita or per mile reimbursement  
to a parent or guardian:

A. in cases where regular school bus  
transportation is impractical because of distance, road  
conditions or sparseness of population; [~~or~~]

B. in cases where the local school board has

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1 authorized a parent to receive reimbursement for travel costs  
2 incurred by having a child attend a school outside the child's  
3 attendance zone; or

4 C. in other cases where regular school bus  
5 transportation to and from the child's school is unavailable  
6 and the child is required to use alternative methods of  
7 transportation."

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